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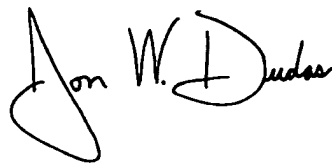
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the title page item (56), under "Other Publications" insert --Transactions: Society for Biomaterials: 'Proteolytically Degradable Hydrogels'; West et al.; 1997.--

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized, with a large, looped initial "J" and a cursive "Dudas".

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